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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP 1772 PATENT

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IN THE APPLICATION OF:

KARLHEINZ HAUSMANN ET. AL.

CASE NO.: AD6745USNA

APPLICATION NO.: 09/923621

CONFIRMATION NO.: 2090

GROUP ART UNIT: 1772

EXAMINER: AUGHENBAUGH, W. B.

FILED: AUGUST 07, 2001

FOR: ACTIVE AMINE SCAVENGING FILM FOR FRESH FISH PACKAGING

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Introductory Comments

In response to the Official Action dated November 30, 2004, concerning the above-identified application, Applicants request reconsideration of the rejected claims based upon the following remarks.